## THE COUNTY OF GALVESTON - PERMIT CHECKLISTS

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(NOTE: All documents must be legible and NO LARGER than 11" X 17")

RV	<u>MOBILE HOME</u>
Physical address	Physical address
CAD number (Tax ID)	CAD number (Tax ID)
Permit application	Permit application
180 day recreational vehicle form	Zone letter
Site & grading plan	Site & grading plan
Current registration	Inspection form
Current photo of RV	Year/make/model/size/color
Fee	Fee
Sewer/septic approval	Sewer/septic approval
PREFAB STORAGE 250 SQ FT OR LESS	STORAGE: SELF BUILT / PREFAB LARGER THAN 250 SQFT
Physical address	Physical address
CAD number (TAX ID)	CAD number (TAX ID)
Permit application	Permit application
Zone letter	Zone letter
Site & grading plan	Site & grading plan
Floor plan, front & side elevation	Floor plan, front & side elevation (show flood vents if in A-Zone)
Brochure	Engineer letter for break away walls (V-Zone only)
Inspection form	Inspection form
Fee	Fee
RV / VEHICLE COVERS	(ALL OTHERS) DECKS / SCREEN ROOM / REPAIRS / ADDITIONS
Physical address	Physical address
CAD number (TAX ID)	CAD number (TAX ID)
Permit application	Permit application
Zone letter	Zone letter
Site & grading plan	Site & grading plan
Floor plan, front & side elevation	Floor plan, front & side elevation
Inspection form	List of repairs (only for repair applications)
Fee	Inspection form
	Fee
RESIDENTIAL & COMMERCIAL	GLO (ALL STRUCTURES SOUTH OF HWY 87 WITHIN 1,000 FT OF MEAN HIGH TIDE)
Physical address	GLO Application
CAD number (TAX ID)	Current survey
Permit applicaion	Piling layout - identify proposed non-pervious surfaces
Zone letter	Drive way layout - dimensions & material
Site & grading plan	Photos
Floor plan, front & side elevation	From the street looking at the site
IRC / Energy Code & Inspection form	From the house looking at the beach
Engineer letter for pilings and break	From house site looking 45 degrees to the south west
away walls (V-Zone only)	From house to 45 degrees to the south east
Sewer/septic approval	Beach looking back to house
Fee	Erosion response plan
CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES MAY REQU	JIRE MITIGATION OR ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION
Applicants Signature	County Rep. Signature& Date

# **County of Galveston**

## **Permit Application**

Flood Map Panel:		Flood Map Date:		Date:	
Flood Zone:		Required Elevation:	-		
Location of Buildin	g (Address):				
CAD Account Num	ber (15 digit):				
Ne		entialResidential tionAlteration ched StorageDeck	F-07 - T-07	M. Home WorkOther	RV
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GARAGE/STORAG	<b>E</b> Sq Ft	* Cost per Sq Ft <b>\$12.50</b> = <b>i</b>	mprovement Value		
PATIO/PORCH/DE	CK Sq Ft	* Cost per Sq Ft <b>\$12.50</b> = Ir	mprovement Value		
Fee: Total Fee	e	Tot	al Value:		
Foundation:	Slab	PilePier	& Beam	Blocks	
Water Supply:	Public	Private	Sewage Disposal:	Public	Private
IRC (if applicable):	:As published or	n May 1, 2008Curre	ent City of Galvesto	n	
Number	of Bedrooms	Number of Bathrooms:	Full	Half	
Land Owner:	Name:			Phone #:	
	Mailing Address:				
Authorized Agent:	: Name:			Phone #:	
	Mailing Address:				
		est, supplemental information			processing of this
		Signature of Land Owner			Date
l,			(Owner or Auth	orized Agent) agree	to the conditions
below:					

I acknowledge areas below required elevation can only to be used for parking, storage or building access-No mechanical, electrical or plumbing is allowed below the base flood elevation except those specifically approved on the permit. The receipt, acceptance, and/or deposit of a check, money order or any form of payment to the County does not constitute any approval of a permit.

I agree on behalf of both myself and on those working on behalf of me that:

- There will be no deviation in the work performed from the construction, modifications changes or improvements
   ("Improvements") described in this Building Permit Application and shown on the attached plans and specifications
   except as may be authorized in writing by Galveston County acting by and through its Building Inspector prior to
   beginning work on any deviation from the described Improvements;
- Any deviation from the permitted Improvements identified by Galveston County is justification for the issuance of a Stop Work Order being issued by the Building Inspector;
- If a Stop Work Order is issued, I agree to immediately cease all work on the Improvements and will, within ten (10)
  days following receipt of the Stop Work Order, remove or correct any deviations identified by the County Building
  Inspector;
- I acknowledge Galveston County's interest in and responsibility of ensuring compliance with its Building and FEMA Regulations;
- I understand that any deviation in the work performed on the Improvements is a wrongful act causing irreparable injury and presenting imminent harm, for which Galveston County has no adequate remedy at law;
- I further agree that Galveston County's lack of an adequate remedy at law justifies imposition of a temporary restraining order and a temporary injunction issued against me to bar any further work under the Building Permit pending resolution of the dispute between Galveston County and me;
- In the event that Galveston County files suit seeking injunctive and/or other relief, I hereby submit to the jurisdiction
  of the State District Courts exercising jurisdiction in Galveston County and agree to the issuance of such temporary
  restraining orders and temporary injunctions as may be required to halt the construction of work on the
  Improvements that deviate from the Building Permit; and
- In the event that Galveston County files suit against me I agree to pay the reasonable attorneys' fee, court costs and other expenses incurred by the County in the prosecution of that suit.

I acknowledge the property may not have access to an existing improved road that is maintained by the County.

I acknowledge it is a violation to begin work before a permit is issued. This is only a permit application-not a permit

Compliance with Galveston County Building Permit Requirements will be strictly enforced.

Agreed:	(Printed Name of Owner or Authorized Agent)
Date:	
Owner or Authorized Agent Signature:	Date
Address:	Phone:
Fee Paid: Money Order Check Credit Card	Approval/Rec#

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TYPE OF BUILDING:

WITH THE REGULATIONS AND GLO COMMENTS (IF ATTACHED)

PERMIT FEE: \_\_\_\_\_\_ B.F.E. \_\_\_\_ BY: \_\_\_\_\_

OWNER SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING DEPARTMENT

NON-TRANSFERABLE	PERMIT NO DATE:
COUNTY OF GALVESTON BUILDIN V-ZONE	
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AREAS BELOW THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION MAY BE ENCLOSED ONLY FOR ACCESS. SUCH ENCLOSED AREAS MUST HAVE BREAKAWAY WALLS (NOT SUPPORT SYSTEM, i.e. PIERS, PILES, COLUMNS, BRACES, ETC.) AS PROVIDING AND (6) OF THE GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING REGULATIONS FOR WHICH SUBMITTED TO AND APPROVED BY THE GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING EXCEPT THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION EXCEPT THE	WRAPPED AROUND OR ATTACHED TO BUILDING'S ED IN ARTICLE 5, SECTION F (1), (2), (3), (4), (5) EH THE REQUIRED CERTIFICATIONS HAVE BEEN DEPARTMENT. NO MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL OR
This permit is hereby granted on the express condition and with the agree erection of said building or alterations shall conform in all respects to the Texas, regulating the construction of buildings, and may be revoked at an of said regulations.	Building Regulations of the County of Galveston,
THIS PERMIT EXPIRES 180 DAYS DROM THE DATE OF ISSUANCE AND IS THE PLANS SUBMITTED. IF CONSTRUCTION HAS STARTED WITHIN 180 TWO (2) YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF ISSUANCE. THE WORK PERMITTE BUILDING OFFICIAL PRIOR TO EXPIRATION	DAYS OF THE DATE OF ISSUANCE IT WILL EXPIRE D MUST BE INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE
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ADDITIONAL GLO COMMENTS ATTAC	HED YES NO
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# COUNTY OF GALVESTON BUILDING PERMIT A-ZONE

ISSUED TO:		
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NO HABITABLE AREA ALLOWED BELOW THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION (B.F.E.) OF: \_\_\_\_ M.S.L. TOP OF FINISHED FLOOR TO BE AT OR ABOVE THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION.

AREAS ENCLOSED BELOW THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION MUST HAVE <u>FLOOD VENTS</u> THAT MEET OR EXCEED GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING REGULATIONS AND MUST BE APPROVED BY THE GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING DEPARTMENT. ALL STRUCTURES BELOW THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION MUST BE NON-HABITABLE AND MAY <u>ONLY</u> BE USED FOR BUILDING ACCESS, PARKING, AND LIMITED STORAGE. <u>NO MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL OR PLUMBING IS ALLOWED BELOW THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION EXCEPT THOSE SPECIFICALLY APPROVED ON THE PERMIT.</u>

This permit is hereby granted on the express condition and with the agreement from the applicant or his agent that erection of said building or alterations shall conform in all respects to the Building Regulations of the County of Galveston, Texas, regulating the construction of buildings, and may be revoked at any time upon the violation of any of the provisions of said regulation.

THIS PERMIT EXPIRES 180 DAYS DROM THE DATE OF ISSUANCE AND IS VALID ONLY FOR CONSTRUCTION ACCORDING TO THE PLANS SUBMITTED. IF CONSTRUCTION HAS STARTED WITHIN 180 DAYS OF THE DATE OF ISSUANCE IT WILL EXPIRE TWO (2) YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF ISSUANCE. THE WORK PERMITTED MUST BE INSPECTED AND APPROVED BY THE BUILDING OFFICIAL PRIOR TO EXPIRATION OF THE PERMIT.

#### ANY DEVIATION FROM PLANS, INCLUDING:

1. Alterations of vents; 2. Converting garage and storage areas to habitable living areas.

IS NOT AUTHORIZED BY THIS PERMIT AND IS IN VIOLATION OF COUNTY BUILDING REGULATIONS

ANY ALTERATIONS OR ADDITIONS (INCLUDING ENCLOSURES OF NON-HABITABLE STORAGE AREAS BELOW THE BASE FLOOD ELEVATION) DONE AFTER A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION IS ISSUED WITHOUT OBTAINING A NEW BUILDING PERMIT MAY RESULT IN DENIAL OR CANCELLATION OF FLOOD INSURANCE, AS WELL AS FINES OR IMPRISONMENT FOR CONTEMPT OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

- IF OTHER THAN BREAKAWAY WALLS ARE USED, A REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER SHALL CERTIFY (BEFORE THE FINAL INSPECTION IS MADE) THAT THE WALLS COMPLY WITH SECTION F. (4).
- 2. THIS PERMIT BECOMES INVALID IF FILL MATERIAL IS ADDED TO RAISE LOT LEVEL BEFORE OR AFTER STRUCTURE IS BUILT.
- ANY VIOLATION OF THIS PERMIT OR RULES MAY RESULT IN THE FILING OF A LETTER ON NON-COMPLIANCE IN THE REAL
  PROPERTY RECORDS UNDER THE AUTHORITY GRANTED IN SECTION 240.901 OF THE TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE AND
  THE REGULATION OF GALVESTON COUNTY TEXAS FOR FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT.

\*\*\* THE CONSTRUCTION APPROVED IN THIS PERMIT MUST COMPLY WITH THE GALVESTON COUNTY DUNE
PROTECTION & BEACH ACCESS PLAN AS WELL AS ANY TEXAS GENERAL LAND OFFICE COMMENTS ATTACHED TO THIS
PERMIT. \*\*\*

<b>ADDITIONAL GLO COMMENTS ATTACHED</b>	YES		NO
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## \*\*\*MUST SIGN AND RETURN\*\*\*

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE REGULATIONS AND GLO COMMENTS (IF ATTACHED) AND WILL COMPLY WITH THE REGULATIONS AZND GLO COMMENTS (IF ATTACHED)

			OWNER S	IGNATURE:
TYPE OF BUILDING: PERMIT FEE:			(	GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING DEPARTMENT
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## A-ZONE ACKNOWLEDGMENT LETTER

Galveston County Building Department 722 Moody 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Galveston, Texas 77550 (409) 770-5552

		DATE:
Address:		
In referer	nce to all	structures being built or substantially improved in A Zones, Galveston County, Texas:
flood elev	vation nor	accepted with the understanding there will be no habitable floor area below the base any appurtenant machinery or equipment used for the service of the structure, (i.e. Hot onditioner, etc.), as described below:
used Onl Galvesto	<u>v</u> for limit n County,	obstruction: Enclosed space below the first floor level will be non-habitable and will be ed storage, parking and building access and will conform to The Regulations of Texas for Floodplain Management. Any such enclosure will be constructed and shall it, (i.e. no floor covering, textured walls, etc.).
Zone Cla	essification	n A
S	structure a	ertify that I am the owner/authorized agent (circle one) of the above referenced and further certify that the walls of the enclosed area below the BFE of said structure or exceed the flowing minimum criteria:
	a)	A minimum of two openings having a total net area of not less than one square inch for every square foot of enclosed area subject to flooding shall be provided.
	b)	The bottom of all openings shall be no higher than one foot above grade.
	c)	Openings may be equipped with screens, louvers, or other coverings or devices provided that they permit the automatic entry and exist of floodwaters.
		"or"
FEMA ap	oproved e	engineered flood vents that meet the current A-Zone regulations.
I hereby	acknowle	edge the above conditions:
		(Printed Name)

(Owner Signature)

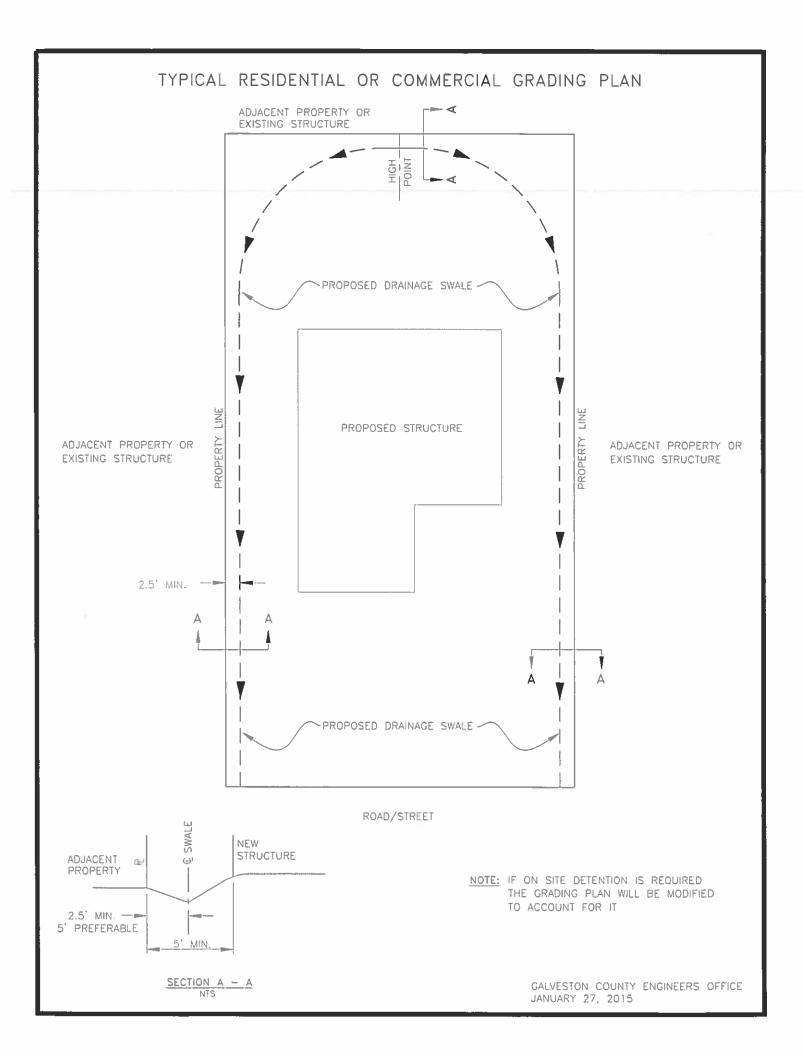
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GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING DEPARTMENT

BY:\_\_\_\_\_





### THE COUNTY OF GALVESTON

Office of the County Engineer

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Galveston, TX 77550

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Fax (409)770-5559

### INSPECTIONS REQUIRED BY GALVESTON COUNTY BUILDING DEPT.

#### **INSPECTIONS FOR B & C ZONES**

- 1. FOUNDATION BEFORE YOU POUR
- 2. FRAMING BEFORE YOU INSULATE OR SHEETROCK
- 3. FINAL ONCE YOU HAVE COMPLETED ALL MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL AND PLUMBING

#### **INSPECTIONS FOR A-ZONE & V-ZONE**

- FOUNDATION FOR SLAB ON GRADE (BEFORE YOU POUR)/ PILING LAYOUT FOR ELEVATED STRUCTURES.
- 2. FRAMING BEFORE YOU INSULATE OR SHEETROCK
- 3. FINAL ONCE YOU HAVE COMPLETED ALL MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL AND PLUMBING (before final can be done on a house move or new construction we will need)
  - a. ORIGINAL "As-Built Elevation Certificate"
  - Any enclosures below the BFE will need to be completed with GFI Breaker in the breaker box above BFE for all electrical below base flood elevation

Any violation of the permit or rules may result in the filing of a letter of non-compliance in the real property records under the authority granted in Section 240.901 of the Texas Land Government Code and the Regulation of Galveston County Texas for Floodplain Management.

This permit expires in 180 days from the date of issuance and is valid <u>only</u> for construction according to the plans submitted. If construction has started within 180 days of the date of issuance it will expire two (2) years after the date of issuance.

The work permitted must be inspected and approved by the building official prior to expiration of permit.

\*\*\*As of Jan. 4, 2010 all permits must comply with provision in H.B. 2833 as adopted by Galveston County Commissioner Court on Oct. 21, 2009.

NOTE\*\*\*THESE INSPECTIONS DO NOT APPLY TO IRC OR WINDSTORM\*\*\*

Address of Permit:		
Printed Name:	 	
Applicant Signature:		
Date:		